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Docket No. CEN5058 USANP

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants	:	Evans	Art Unit:	1631
Serial No.	:	10/052,582	Examiner:	Carolyn L. Smith
Filed	:	January 18, 2002		
Title	:	COMPUTER-DIRECTED ASSEMBLY OF A POLYNUCLEOTIDE ENCODING A TARGET POLYPEPTIDE		

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action mailed June 28, 2004 for 3 months, from July 28, 2004 to October 28, 2004. A Preliminary Amendment and Response to Restriction and Election Requirements is being filed herewith.

Please charge the \$980.00 extension fee to Deposit Account No. 10-0750/CEN5058USANP/KB in the name of Johnson & Johnson.

Respectfully submitted,

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